

OPINION 946

LUDWIG (R.), 1865-66, "CORALLEN AUS PALÄOLITHISCHEN FORMATIONEN" (*PALAEONTOGRAPHICA* 14):
SUPPRESSED UNDER THE PLENARY POWERS

RULING.—(1) Under the plenary powers the paper by R. Ludwig, 1865-1866, "Corallen aus Paläolithischen Formationen" published in *Palaeontographica* 14 : 133-244 is hereby suppressed for the purposes of the Law of Priority but not for those of the Law of Homonymy.

(2) The following work is hereby placed on the Official Index of Rejected and Invalid Works in Zoological Nomenclature with the Title Number 79:

LUDWIG, R. 1865-1866. "Corallen aus Paläolithischen Formationen", *Palaeontographica* 14 : 133-244, pls. 31-72 (as suppressed under the plenary powers in (1) above).

HISTORY OF THE CASE (Z.N.(S.) 495)

The present case was submitted to the office of the Commission by Dr. Colin T. Scrutton in July 1968. Dr. Scrutton's paper was sent to the printer on 29 August 1968 and was published on 17 January 1969 in *Bull. zool. Nomencl.* 25 : 156-161. Public Notice of the possible use of the plenary powers in the present case was given in the same part of the *Bulletin* as well as to the other prescribed serial publications (Constitution Art. 12b; *Bull. zool. Nomencl.* 21 : 184) and to two palaeontological serials. The proposals were supported by Dr. A. E. H. Pedder.

DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

On 9 April 1970 the Members of the Commission were invited to vote under the Three-Month Rule on Voting Paper (70)13 either for or against the proposal set out in *Bull. zool. Nomencl.* 25 : 158. At the close of the prescribed voting period on 9 July 1970 the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative votes—nineteen (19), received in the following order: Holthuis, Vokes, Bonnet, Lemche, Simpson, Mayr, Jaczewski, Tortonese, Eisenmann, Sabrosky, Brinck, Evans, Mertens, Starobogatov, Binder, Melville, Alvarado, Kraus, Ride.

Negative votes—none (0).

Voting Papers not returned—three (3): do Amaral, Forest, Munroe.

CERTIFICATE

I certify that the votes cast on Voting Paper (70)13 were cast as set out above, that the proposal contained in that Voting Paper has been duly adopted under the plenary powers, and that the decision so taken, being the decision of the International Commission, is truly recorded in the present Opinion No. 947.

R. V. MELVILLE
Secretary

International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature
London

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